ACTIONS FROM COVID-19 DoH STRATEGIC CELL

9th March 2020

D2 Lecture Room

Castle Buildings

Attendees:
Dr Michael McBride (MMcB)
Dr Naresh Chada (NC)
Andrew Dawson (AD)
Dr Lourda Geoghan (LG)
Cathy Harrison (Dial in) (CH)
Sean Holland (SH)
Mark Lee (ML)
Kiera Lloyd (KL)
Jillian Martin (JM)
Chris Matthews (CM)
Charlotte McArdle (CMcA)
Nigel McMahon (NM)
NR
Deborah McNeilly (DMcN)
La'Verne Montgomery (LM)
Dan West (DW)
Ryan Wilson (RW)
Brigitte Worth (BW)
NR
NR

OUTCOMES

1. Draft Covid-19 DoH Strategic Cell aim and objectives agreed.

ACTIONS

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pharmacy policy advice.

ongoing basis. Action - NR

1.	Possibility of invoking NICCMA to involve TEO further, to be discussed further with CMO. Action NR and MMcB .
2.	Dan West to set-up/lead Digital Response Cell - this will coordinate the digital response to Covid-19, and will look at the good work that is underway from this perspective, and see what additional support and assistance can be provided. He will then provide feedback to Strategic Cell. Action – DW .
3.	Scoping/stock-taking exercise to be carried out re: DoH's current supply of laptops and mobile phones. Re-prioritisation of supply for business continuity and Departmental response purposes. Action - DMcN .
4.	Dan West to connect with Gillian Armstrong and NR reconnectivity with NHS 111. Action – DW.
5.	Further discussion required re integration of functions/areas of work in the Supplies Cell – i.e. should food/community meals provision be included in this? Action – Strategic Cell secretariat. Action – NC to follow up with CH re:

EOC to circulate daily Sitreps and relevant briefing to Strategic Cell on an

Strategic Cell members to include weekly Strategic Cell meetings in their work calendars/diaries (Mondays at 2pm). **Action – Strategic Cell members**.